

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

We walked out of the house early Saturday morning to pick up the morning paper and thought it had rained! The rains last Friday and Friday night had left the ground soft, and the sun hadn't gotten up to burn away the almost cold air the rains left behind. It sure was nice for a short while. Of course we know that this also means cold weather is just around the corner and we ain't real happy about that idea.

Court rulings it is against the law to deliver a public prayer over the PA system at a football game has a lot of folks upset, including us. However, we are not the only ones who have been asked to remain silent for a moment of silence. It turns out that this silence is shared by more folks than paid any attention to the prayers! We have never seen a football stadium full of fans be as quiet as they are this year during that moment of silence just before the national anthem! We are reminded of an area Southern Baptist preacher who ten years ago told us he didn't approve of prayer at a football game because the people there didn't have the proper attitude to be participating in a prayer. Now that this moment of silence, maybe we can all have our very own prayer and be more in tune with our needs than we were in the past.

Also seems we are going to get a constitutional amendment making it against the law to burn an American flag. The House of Representatives is already on record as favoring such a move. We are disgusted at flag burning, but see some problems with those folks in Washington messing with our constitution. We are not sure if we are in favor of this amendment giving some money to a special project or taking care of some special interest group in other ways. They ain't above it. We would rather see the courts enforce the laws we already have and still put someone under the jail if they burn or walk on the American flag... folks we get emotional when the flag is being raised or passes in review and ain't ashamed of this fact.

State politics in Alabama are often comical to say the least. Right now State Auditor Jan Cook, from over there at Dozier, is on the hot seat. That is everyone but Jan thinks she is in trouble. She thinks it's just politics as usual. For years she has been accused of not being a regular visitor to her Montgomery office. Now late she is accused of not auditing her own office accounts and realizing there wasn't enough money in the pot to continue spending the way she was spending. It is just politics she repeats... her enemies are trying to discredit her. We ain't so sure that is right. We work hard to earn our money and we sure have our color pictures spread around the state when there isn't enough money to make the payroll. Remember this is our tax money she is spending. Miss Cook can't be the Auditor's office again next year, but we hear she is looking at either Secretary of Agriculture or Secretary of State.

Those of you who share our love for college football probably had a good weekend last week. With Florida, Georgia, State and Auburn all chalking up wins, we all seem to be keeping score right. Even supporters of Troy State had something to smile about this week. Folks from this area who remember Stan Stacy of Geneva can be thankful he is playing for the University of Alabama and not against your special high school team. We know Neal Anderson's family (he plays with the Chicago Bears) and will occasionally watch them because of this... he did well Sunday.

"Suspect"

Continued From Front

The shooting occurred at the home of Lockett's parents in the Kennedy Estates sub-division after Walton reportedly took the gun from an Elba police officer at the scene.

Walton had been charged with murder in the September 4 shooting death of Janet Lockett, age 27.

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SOCIAL NOTES



L to R : Mrs. Barbara Adkins - Grandmother, Mrs. Leverell Pritchett - Mother of groom, Mrs. Kathleen (Gaddie) Kelley - Honoree, Mrs. Betty Gaddie - Mother of bride, Mrs. Doris Kelley - Hostess.

Mrs. Kathleen Kelley Recently Honored With Miscellaneous Bridal Shower

Mrs. Gary Kelley (nee Kathleen Gaddie) was honored with a miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon, Sept. 9, in the home of Mrs. Hollis Kelley.

Mrs. Kelley welcomed guests at

the front entrance of the home which was adorned with a heart-shaped wreath in wedding motifs.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Nicky Jimright, and served from a

beautiful table appointed with arrangements and party dainties in pink accents.

Approximately 30 guests registered.

Azalea Garden Club Holds September Meeting

The Azalea Garden Club held its first meeting of the new year at Rooster Farm, the lovely country home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Driscoll on N. Troy Highway.

Mrs. Danny Jones served as co-hostess with Mr. Driscoll.

Colorful home-baked cookies, date, yellow and pink mandevilla, alstroemeria, dinner-plate hibiscus, and ferns were used in attractive arrangements. Of special interest was a hanging dried grape vine from California, which graced the windows in the living room.

The new members, Mrs. Driscoll, president, Mrs. Driscoll welcomed club members and introduced her neighbor, Mrs. Mack Westbrook, as a guest, and Mrs. Charles Kennett, who was guest speaker.

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Ashley Young Honored With Handyman Party

A handyman's party/fish fry with all the trimmings was held for future groom Ashley Young on Saturday evening, Sept. 9, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pearce in Brookdale.

Other hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Marler, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spiller.

Flameaus outlined the area of the yard where tables covered with red and white checkered tablecloths were arranged. Centerpieces of large mugs holding red candles decorated the tables and oil lamps were used on the food tables.

While the fish and hush puppies were frying, guests enjoyed lemonade served from old fashioned dispensers from foot tubs, along with assorted cheeses and crackers served from a wheelbarrow.

The honored man-of-the-evening received a bright red wheelbarrow from the hosts and hostesses, as well as many other useful gifts from the following guests:

Marty Marler, Gary Bradshaw, Ken Marler, John Doyce, Jeff Benbow, Phil Hayes, Chris English, Joey Holley, Tommy Skinner, Oiggs Marler, Bill Moore, Butch Oiggs, Pat Kelley, and Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Lowery.

Mary Marler, Gary Bradshaw

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The hostesses presented Carolyn a beautiful plant.

A short business meeting was held on the program. A new member - Treva Driscoll - was welcomed, and a letter of resignation was read from Pam Crittenden, who is moving.

Members were asked to pay their yearly dues.

Entertaining a car in the homecoming parade was discussed and decided upon, with Elena Leiter driving her car and officers riding with her.

Several other items were discussed but tabled until the October meeting.

Members present were Mary Yassis, Pauly Williams, Ella Jean Vaughan, Betty Vaughan, Ethelene Tucker, Elaine Thompson, Janaria Thomas, Peggy Stroud, Martha Stephens, Debra Samuel, Elena Leiter, Treva Driscoll, Betty Brunson and Heddy Cox.

Magnolia Garden Club Meets At Library, Sept. 7th

The Magnolia Garden Club held its first meeting of the season at the Elba Public Library, Sept. 7 at 9:30 a.m. with hostesses Mrs. Glenn Samuels and Mr. R.D. Eastman.

Mrs. P.A. Stinson, president, called the meeting to order. The business session was held and afterward Mrs. Fulton Spurin gave an interesting program on magnolias, their varieties and adoption to this nation and other nations of the world.

Delicious refreshments were served to the 14 members present, including Mrs. Robert Cooper, Mrs. Robert Marsh, Mrs. W.L. Brunson, Mrs. Bill Martin, Mrs. Glenn Samuels, Mrs. M.O. Bruecker, Mrs. H.S. Hasty, Mrs. Joe P. Martin, Mrs. D. E. Eastman, Mrs. Douglas Easters, Mrs. Milton Warr, Mrs. Fulton Spurin, Mrs. Charles Kennett, and Mrs. P.H. Sellers.

Mrs. Kennett gave a report on the accomplishments of each chapter and their group and the things that are planned for the remainder of the year.

He is the grandson of Oscar McKenzie and Rosa Lee Tyson, Elba, and of Inez Lee, Greenville. Great-grandparents are Buck and Lela Tyson, Elba. His mother says LaDistrick enjoys spending time with his great-grandparents Buck and Lela.

LaDistrick Tyson, son of Randy and Macduelle Tyson, was seven months old on Sept. 12.

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Debra Perry and Coach Stevenson are new teachers

By Wendy Chancellor

Debra Perry is a new teacher at Zion Chapel High School. She is currently a student at Troy State University where she earned her B.S. degree in secondary education.

Mrs. Perry was employed at Sparta Academy in Evergreen for one-and-a-half years. She is a teacher at part-time so that she will have time to return to school to major in English and History.

Mrs. Perry teaches Economics and Government as well as two classes of junior high English.

Coach Larry Stevenson is also a new teacher here at Zion Chapel. He was here last year for one month so he could conduct spring training for football.

Over the summer Coach Stevenson became a father for the second time when his wife presented him with another daughter in June.



Tate Gatlin is pictured dressed as the pardoner from *Canterbury Tales*. A pardoner is a priest who goes around telling stories from the Bible. It was common in that century that pardons were dressed with high boots and long hair.

THE CANTERBURY TALES

By Stephen Berry

The *Canterbury Tales* by Chaucer is being performed during the senior class this year. The seniors were divided into seven groups of no more than four in each group. They were assigned a story and were required to write a report. A person in each group was chosen to teach their particular story to the class. The unit presented was to contain vocabulary words presented for usage and meaning for the particular period. Each group had to dress in a costume pertaining to the time, period, and story.

JUNIOR COLLEGE HONOR STUDENTS ANNOUNCED

LBW announces

President's List

BETA CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

By Donna Holcomb

Donna Holcomb was elected president of the Zion Chapel chapter of the National Beta Club. She was selected from 100 students in the state. Mrs. Shaw also serves as chapter and pep club sponsor, and is assisting incoming sponsor Mrs. Daugherty in the many responsibilities of the Beta Club.

The first order of business was to elect officers. After Donna Holcomb was elected president, the other officers were elected. They are Sharon Rodgers - Vice President; Jennifer Flowers - secretary; Camille Hayes - treasurer; and Debra Grant - reporter.

Also discussed during the meeting was the annual fund-raising projects and the initiation of new members. To be eligible for the Beta Club a student must be in 10-12 grade and must maintain an 85 average on advanced diplomas and 95 average on standard diplomas. Initiation of new members will be further discussed at the next meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 3.

SGA DISCUSSES SCHOOL PRIDE

By Stacey Black

School pride and student-teacher relationships were some of the important issues discussed during the SGA meeting. Other topics discussed included what would be important to visitors to the campus; securing a liaison for personal use by students; getting the administration and teachers to grant certain "special" privileges to senior high students; and fund-raising for members of the SGA during the school year.

Those present for the meeting were the officers elected at the end of the 1988-89 school year to serve for the present 89-90 school year. They are: President - George Robert Prescott, Jr.; First Vice-President - Angela Louise Barber; First Kinston - Lori Alene Johnson.

ESJC announces

honor students

A total of 98 Enterprise State Junior College students were named to the Summer Quarter Dean's List.

Those from this area include: From Kinston - Lee Michelle Chandler, Judith Latessa Hender- son, Kelly Lynn Kilcrease and Shaun Michael Wilcox.

From Kinston - Lori Alene Johnson.

SPANISH CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

By Camille Hayes

Elected officers, planning fund-raisers and appointing a planning committee were the main topics of the Spanish Club. Todd Rugg was elected president; Camille Hayes - Vice President; Jamie Rodgers - secretary; Jason McLeod - Treasurer; Jeremy Law - Reporter; Ashley Wise - Sales Representative; Stacey Black - Sales Representative; Jeffrey Flowers - Parliamentary; and Mrs. Anna Mender, Spanish Club sponsor.

A planning committee has been appointed to plan all trips, and fund-raisers. The committee consists of Jamie Rodgers, Shelly Rodgers, Jennifer Flowers, Demie Flowers and Randy Jackson. The fund-raisers include candy and calendar sales, and money raised will be spent on field trips, parties, and Spanish supplies.

FFA HAS MEETING

By Jason McLeod

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"CAPTURE THE MAGIC"

By Stephanie Goodson

The Zion Chapel Chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) is preparing to complete the 1989-90 state project. Theme of this year's project is "Capture the Magic." The first step in completing the project was to recruit new members. In order to do so, previous FBLA made badges for and encouraged prospective members to join. The badges were made with a pencil in a business course such as by hand. Eighteen of the 45 members are seniors.

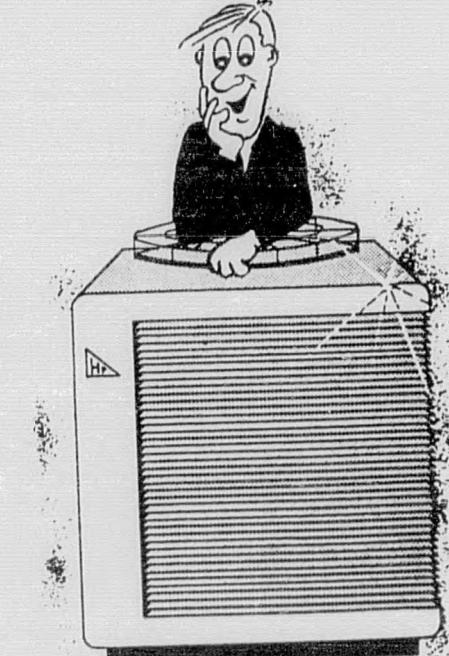
At the first official meeting of the year Rachel Bryan, FBLA sponsor, explained the activities included in the state project. New officers were also elected. They are: President - Stephanie Goodson; Vice-President - Jeffrey Flowers; Secretary - Melissa Johnson; Treasurer - Todd Rugg; Historian - Ashley Wise; Parliamentarian - Cade Shiver, and Reporter - Michelle Ogle.

Refreshments were served immediately following the meeting.

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Students on the Dean's List from this area include:

From Elba - Wendy Moulton
From New Brockton - Richard B. Anderson, Stephanie Daniels, Kristina Kelley and Jock A. Spencer

From Jack - Cheryl Griswold
From Kinston - Linda P. Hopkins

FFA HAS MEETING

By Jason McLeod

The Zion Chapel FFA held its first meeting of the 1989 year Wednesday, Sept. 13, in Mr. Stewart's room. New officers for the year are: President - Jamie Rodgers; Vice President - Pam Langley; Secretary - Nikki Pfeifer; Reporter - Beverly Flowers; Sentinel - Michael Stewart; Treasurer - Stephanie Brooks. The officers talked of speakers the FFA will ask to appear, and suggestions included a game dinner, a veterinarian, and someone from a farmer's co-op.

The FFA's main fund-raiser will be the selling of oranges. Other small activities, in order to raise money, will be carried out so that FFA members may attend the Agri-

Expo in Moultrie, Ga., in October.

Alumni band to perform at homecoming festivities

By Almer Routsong

The Zion Chapel Alumni band will perform at homecoming in honor of the tenth anniversary of the Rebel band.

The 1989-90 band officers met to plan the activities for the night. The activities that the band will perform in the band room at 12:30 p.m. to prepare to march in the homecoming парад.

The alumni band will consist of band graduates from 1979 until the present. Sixty-two members will be invited to participate in the homecoming festivities.

Anyone who graduated from the band within the last ten years is not invited to participate in the homecoming festivities. For more information contact Amanda Ford at Zion Chapel High School.

The Rebel band has had three band directors over the ten-year period and has always upheld the superior ranking.

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Views From
THE PRESSBOX
By, Ricky Mularz, Editor

I've heard about people having "flashbacks" concerning incidents in their past. So, I guess last week I had a first - a "sports flashback" when I wrote a cutline for a picture of Elba quarterback Kevin Mathews and wrote the name of Mike Amison. Amison was #14 and was a quarterback for the Tigers back in 1981, but in last week's paper the quarterback pictured was Mathews, definitely not Amison. Boy do I need a vacation!

IMPROVING ELBA TIGERS RIP OPP TO GO 4-0

Two weeks ago after Elba defeated Louisville, a lot of so-called Elba football fans were predicting that the Tigers would lose their next four games. After all, Elba was getting ready to play an undefeated Luverne team, an Opp team that had whipped Monroe County and Troy and then Pike County and niceville. Well, the Tigers have gone halfway through the season and the team is still rolling along undefeated. At least I'm smarter than a few people!

Elba may have dodged a bullet or two last week against Opp, but the Tigers still looked much improved and had more than enough to handle the talented Bobcats. The Tigers had plenty of chances to fold and accept defeat after call after call went against them; however, they regrouped at the half and came on strong in the second half to outscore Opp 23-0 and claim the win. Some skeptics are still calling the Tigers lucky, and that may be true to a point, but the Tigers are getting better each and every week and if they continue to improve, may have a very good team for the year.

The Elba offense had drives of 88 and 89 yards in the win over Opp and silenced those who said the Tigers couldn't drive the football. The Elba option game was clicking on all cylinders and led by the leadership of Kevin Mathews and the play of Reggie Horstead, Samson had the game under control. Then, with a second four down, the offense showed plenty of punch. The line got criticized big time early in the season, but it must be getting better, because the running backs are gaining big yardage and Friday night the Tigers would have had a hard time maintaining the long drives without blocking. I like the big plays too, but I like Friday night's performance was the best of the year for the offense.

Over on the road the Tigers again ran roughshod around at times and gave up 100 yards, but allowed only one score and came up with some mighty big plays when they needed 'em. The defense bent, but never broke, and for the first time this season caught my attention with the hitting they were doing. The pads were popping a lot and it sounded mighty good! Elba's speed is evident on offense; however, the speed is also there on defense and it showed Friday night when the Tigers picked up two fumbles and intercepted a pass. The quickness of the defensive players is very evident when opponents try to run outside of what the defense gets into the endzone.

Looking back at the win over Opp, I was proud of the way the players overcame some bad breaks to win the ballgame. The two roughing the kicker penalties pumped life into Opp and helped the Bobcats sustain drives, one which resulted in a score and another that enabled Opp to reach the 2-yardline; however, the players never quit and never made any excuses, they just kept on playing hard and good things finally happened. I think the big reason for the great victory is that the Tigers overcame adversity that might have defeated a weaker team. Hey folks...I believe in this team and am convinced that this bunch may be very special.

A WEAK WEEK FOR THREE COUNTY GRID TEAMS

It wasn't a good week to write home about only one of the county's three teams was able to taste victory. Here is a quick look back from where I sit...

•••KINSTON got shelled a week ago 50-0 and with undefeated Samson coming to town looks bleak for the Bulldogs. After all, the Bulldogs had only beaten Samson once in the school's history in football and this year's game was a mismatch. So or we thought! Kinston used a solid ground game to overcome Samson and a rainy night as the Bulldogs won 13-7 to go 2-2 for the year. I know that rivalries can get teams fired up to play, but it's hard for me to see how a team can get beat by 50 points one week and upset an unbeaten team the next. If the Bulldogs will take the high road, then they have a happy medium maybe they'll be a team to watch before the season ends.

•••NEW BROCKTON surprised me and a lot more folks by almost pulling out a win against Cottontown. The Gamecocks had barely won two of their three games and Cottontown physically whipped Elba in the season opener. So, a road win is the way. Wrong! The Gamecocks of Coach Leahy Boutwell are solid in all areas and have tremendous pride in their program. New Brockton may not win the state title or even win a lot more games, but they've got my respect and can play with anyone, anywhere.

•••ZION CHAPEL tried their luck with Florala and got wiped out to the tune of 55-7. The Rebels were expected to be much improved this season after getting a new coach, but after four games it doesn't appear that even a new coach and a new spirit are enough to revive the Rebel program this year. Don't get me wrong! I'm not saying the Rebels won't win a couple of games, they will. You simply can't turn a program around overnight.

ELBA'S SANDERS SEES ACTION AGAINST LSU

The New Elba football standout Troy Sanders got to play in the first of Saturday night's Florida State win over LSU and all of us here in Tiger-town hope that it was just the beginning of what will be a stellar college career. Sanders is a redshirt freshman at FSU and the Seminole coaches aren't sure whether he will be better on offense or defense, a unique problem at the college level. I'm sure that Troy will be a star no matter which side of the ball they put him on and for those things for sure...the folks in Elba are all getting to know the Seminole War Chant!

SURPRISES CONTINUE IN WEEK #4 OF SEASON

The high school football season will reach the midway point of the reg-

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ular season is over and I look back at four weeks worth of action: ***CLASS 6A - Aniston has been the early surprise in the 6A ranks as they have rolled up lopsided wins in every game. The Bulldogs lost in the semifinals of the playoffs a year ago, but are convinced that their high scoring attack will take 'em all the way in '89. The balance in Montgomery and the Wiregrass is also a little surprising to me as up north Lee has struggled almost every week, while Jeff Davis is good, but the Rebels are getting and carrying the ball. We have also heard of one of the "Big 2" down south, Ozark and Dothan are apparently in the driver's seat after taking early wins over Northview and Enterprise. This area is up for grabs.

***CLASS 5A - Hillcrest, of Evergreen, has to be the major surprise of the young season! The Jaguars of former Auburn coach Doug Barfield have opened the season with 4 straight wins and last week knocked off Cullman. The Rebels are having a hard time getting back up to play the Eagles, Goshen dropped Brantley a week ago and will be fired up, but the Rebels have gone to New Brockton because the cream always rises to the top!

NEW BROCKTON 21 GOSHEN 14

ZION CHAPEL VS. COFFEE SPRINGS
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NEW BROCKTON 40 COFFEE SPRINGS 12

KINSTON VS. GOSHEN
The Gamecocks are having a winning streak halted last week against Cullman and may have a hard time getting back up to play the Eagles.

***CLASS 4A - The continued dominance of Pike County has been somewhat of a surprise in this class as Coach Wayne Grant's Bulldogs haven't missed a beat since taking the state championship last year. The Bulldogs lost a bunch of quality athletes and were expected to be a little down; however, it is clear Pike County has established a winning program and the way things are looking, they may be the ones to beat.

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KINSTON VS. HUNTERSON ACADEMY
The Bulldogs were sky high last week and stunned the undefeated Samson Tigers, while the Raiders were down to Florida and got totally embarrassed. If Kinston plays like it did last week a win is in the works, but something tells me to stick with the home team, again!

NEW BROCKTON 18 KINSTON 16

OTHER PICKINGS:

Arion 45 Wicksburg 6
Elba 39-22 Cullman 30
Frisco City 30 Dzierz 7
Excel 27 McKenzie 22
Rehobeth 20 Long 12
Luverne 42 Brantley 6
Catholic 40 Holtville 0
Cottonwood 14 Headland 8
Florala 27 Samson 6
Dale County 21 Luverne County 7
Georgia 20 Highland Home 18
Ashford 34 Houston County 0
J.F. Shields 27 Red Level 6
Louisville 13 Beauregard 12
Abbeville 21 Geneva 6
Daleville 20 Slocomb 19 (Upset Special)
Andalusia 22 Henderson 10
Stanhope Elmore 22 Demopolis 0
Stanhope Elmore 14 Opp 0
Hillcrest 14 U.M.S. 3
Lee 21 Carver 7
Jeff Davis 17 Lanier 8
Dothan 28 Leon 17
Enterprise 28 Rutherford 0
Northview 21 Moseley 3

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POSH PROGNOSTICATOR STILL SMILING

Ye ole Polish Prognosticator had a little bitty smile on his face this week as he strolled into the office after struggling a bit last week. The local guesspert hit on 19 of 26 picks last week, his slowest week of the season, but reminded everyone that for the year his mark is a very respectable 92-22. Whatever! Anyway, here are his picks for the midway point of the season...

ELBA VS. PIKE COUNTY

This game has developed into one of the fiercest rivalries ever on both teams schedule and this year will be no different. The Tigers dropped a

SPORTS

Elba Tigers hope to continue winning ways Friday night against 4A state champion Pike County Bulldogs

"On offense," said Wood, "they like to run out of the pro set and run the belly-option and sweep. Coleman, the top running back in the state, gets the ball in his hands about 75 percent of the time and he has a great ability to run with it. They have a solid quarterback who likes to throw the medium and long range passes and they are balanced enough on offense to keep you offside. The offensive line is huge, to say the least. Their line is by far the

biggest we've faced this season and that is saying something when you look back at Luverne and Opp!"

"Defensively, they still run the split-4," added Coach Wood, "and we have two great big tackles from our defensive line. Their defense is outstanding and they really get after the football."

"It will take an outstanding game for us to win against such a quality football team as Pike County," declared Wood. "We've made some mistakes in the last two games that could have cost us the ballgame, but somehow managed to win. We can't make those mistakes again. We'll be able to stop the Tigers and it will be a challenge for us to do that."

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FOLLOW ME! New Brockton's Greg Sowell (31) leads the way as teammate Robert Kilow (22) rambles for a big gain in last week's battle with Cottonwood. Kilow will be out to lead the Gamecocks Friday night when they travel to Goshen.



FUMBLE RECOVERY! New Brockton's Cason Adrian (23) pounces on a fumble to stop a Cottonwood drive in Friday night's 13-7 loss to the Bears. New Brockton will hit the road again this week when it travels to Goshen to challenge the Goshen Eagles.



New Brockton running back Greg Sowell (31) cuts outside the block of Neal Hardwick (72) as he finds running room against the Cottonwood defense. The Gamecocks saw a late rally fall short in the 13-7 defeat.

Cottonwood slips past Gamecocks 13-7

STORY & PHOTOS BY GREG BRUNNER

The #3 ranked New Brockton Gamecocks journeyed to Cottonwood to battle the #9 ranked Bears this past Friday night. Everyone that made the trip got just what they expected, a football game, as Cottonwood built a 13-0 lead a then held off a late Gamecock rally to post a 13-7 victory.

The game opened with both defenses controlling the ballgame. Late in the first quarter the two teams exchanged turnovers as William Moguel recovered an errant lateral for the Gamecocks and running back Neal Hardwick intercepted a pass for the Bears.

Midway through the second quarter, Cottonwood began a drive on their own 15-yardline. Twelve rushes later, Runnie Pender built over from three yards out for the Gamecock's first points. Jack Hankins added the p.a.t., giving Cottonwood a 7-0 lead with 2:04 left in the first half.

The third quarter was more

the same as the two defenses continued to control the game.

Early in the fourth quarter, 71-yard drive in 8 plays early in the fourth quarter, Mark Coachman got the touchdown on a 17 yard jaunt around right end. Robert Kilow blocked the p.a.t., leaving the score 13-0 with 7:20 left to go in the game.

Kilow took the ensuing kickoff and returned it 53 yards to the Bears' 40-yardline. A 20 yard run by Kilow on third down and 3 gave the Gamecocks a first down at the 13-yardline. On third down and one, Greg Sowell took the handoff and scored into the endzone. With him, Moguel added the conversion to cut the lead to 13-7 with 5:04 remaining.

Robert Kilow as the game's leading rusher with 87 yards on 14 carries, while Cottonwood had a balanced ground game with Rosey Godwin running 86 yards on 16 carries. Mark Coachman with 76 yards on 12 totes and Runnie Pender with 71 yards on only 9 tries.

NB	CW
7	1st Downs 13
31-85	Rushing Yds. 42-264
30	Passing Yds. 0
135	Total Yds. 264
11/5/1	Passes 1/0/0
103	Return Yds. 49
0	Fumbles Lost 2
4/38.5	Punts/Ave. 3/41.3

STATISTICS

The Brantley Bulldogs lost a heartbreaker on a rain-soaked field Friday night to Area rival Goshen 17-6.

Brantley saw its record dip to 2-2 with the loss, while Goshen evened its record to 2-2 with the win.

Punts were traded until early in the final stanza, when the Bulldogs began to move toward the Goshen goalline.

What appeared to be a Flora

lawn 49-yard punt return was nullified by a penalty; however, the penalty only delayed the score as the Bulldogs drove 47 yards in 6 plays to take the lead.

Things started off bad for Brantley in the first quarter, when with 8:43 left on the clock a snap on a punt sailed over the head of Jeff Bush and Flora took the lead with an early 2-0 lead.

Goshen took the ensuing kickoff and promptly marched downfield to add to its advantage. Michael Pelton capped off the drive with an 18-yard touchdown run, even though the snap sailed over the head of Jeff Bush, and the first quarter Goshen was on top 8-0.

Jeff Bush took the ensuing kick and returned it all the way to the Goshen 49-yardline to punt life into the Bulldogs; however, the drive stalled and Brantley was forced to punt.

Jeff Bush hit a 45 yard punt that put the Eagles on their own 17-yardline and the Bulldog defense quickly came through with a big play to get the Dogs back on the field.

The Bulldogs' defense, which allowed only 6 points during the night, was led by Anthony Young with 8 tackles and 3 assists, Jeff Bush (6-3), Victor Walker (4-4) and Jeff Driggers (3-3).

A 14-yard pass from freshman quarterback Ashley Kilcrease to Ricky Weed got the Bulldogs down close; however, the Goshen defense took care of the Dogs, failing to score when Jeff Bush missed on a 33-yard field-goal attempt.

The second half began much like the first for Brantley, as on a

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LEGAL NOTICES

ESTATE OF SAVANNAH KILCREASE DECEASED

PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of September, 1989, by the Hon. Marion B. Brunden, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ ROY KILCREASE

9-21-89

LEGAL NOTICE

The Zoning Board of Adjustment will hold a public meeting on Thursday, Sept. 21, 1989, at 5:30 p.m. at Elba City Hall to hear a request from L.M. Burch that he be allowed to locate a mobile home on property located on Ann Street, Elba, for lot 100, owned by Junior Powers, in the north side, property owned by Marvin Smith the south side and is fronted on Ann Street. This property is currently zoned R-2.

9-21-89

ESTATE OF JAMES WILEY McDURMONT DECEASED

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/s/ BRENDA SUE L. McDURMONT

9-21-89

Stated bills will be received by the Coffee County Commission, P.O. Box 456, Elba, Alabama 36323. All bills, except those received by mail, will be received at the Coffee County Courthouse, Elba, Alabama, at which time all bills received will be publicly opened and read aloud for established law and materials for the issuance of findings of.

New Coffee County Health Department, Enterprise, Alabama

For Coffee County Commission

Coffee County, Alabama

Stated bills will be according to plans and specifications prepared by H. Dan Bowden, Architect, 115 S. Main St., Rawls Hotel, Enterprise, Alabama 36330.

Contractors must send plans, specifications and coffee of the Acreage. A limit of two (2) sets of specifications and plans may be obtained by the Contractors upon deposit of \$20.00 per set, with a non-refundable deposit of \$10.00. Stated bills, said deposit are retained in the office of the Architect, prepared and in good condition, or at least ten (10) days prior to the date of opening, deposit will be returned.

Bidding documents will be sent by the Hon. Dan Bowden, Architect, collect, unless otherwise specified.

Elba bids must be accompanied by a bid bond, a certified or cashier's check made payable to the Coffee County Commission in the sum of 5% of base bid plus 10% of the bid. Said deposit are retained in the office of the Architect, prepared and in good condition, or at least ten (10) days prior to the date of opening, deposit will be returned.

9-21-11c

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO.

Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 40-12-4 through 40-12-7, Code of Alabama 1975, as amended, the ordinance levies a privilege, license, or excise tax against persons, firms, or corporations engaged in the business of consuming, engaged in the business of selling at retail tangible property or conducting places of amusement in Coffee County. Also, provided for the collection of the said taxes, and provides penalties for the violation of this ordinance.

The Owner reserves the right to waive information in any bill and to get an order of service, record, bill and any combination of alternates that in their judgment will be the best interest of the Coffee County Commission.

COFFEE COUNTY COMMISSION

By: Billy Egerton, Chairman

Coffee County Commission

Coffee County, Alabama

9-14-2c

ESTATE OF EDEB GRANTHAM

DECEASED

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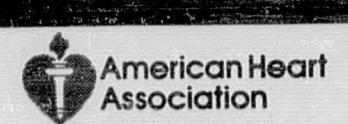
/s/ VIRGINIA GRANTHAM

9-21-89

LEGAL NOTICE

The Zoning Board will hold a public meeting on Thursday, Sept. 21, 1989, at 5:30 p.m. at Elba City Hall to hear a request from Mr. McCollough. Mr. McCollough is requesting that his property located on Smith Avenue be changed from an R-1 to R-3. The land in consideration is 1300 feet from the center line of the south side of Highway 125, north of line joining the S.R. McCollough property and south of Herman Driggers Drive. 9-21-2c

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Mt. Gilead Baptist
Church To Have
Special Event

Mt. Gilead Baptist Church, Rt. 1, Dothan, will have Church Centennial and homecoming on Sunday, Oct. 1.

The day's services will include Sunday School at 9:45, and worship service at 11, with lunch at the church at 12:15 and afternoon services beginning at 1:30.

Lunch will be provided by church members with theme of old fashioned day and "remembering when."

For more information call the church at 205/792-4842.

Woodland Grove To
Have Brush Arbor
Services

Woodland Grove Baptist Church will have old fashioned brush arbor services beginning Sept. 24, at 7 p.m. There will be different speakers each evening with special music.

Woodland Grove is located in the Woodland Grove Community of Coffee County on Highway 79. Everyone is invited.

Taylor Hill Baptist
To Sponsor
Gospel Sing

Taylor Hill Baptist Church will sponsor a gospel singing Saturday, Sept. 23, beginning at 7 p.m. in the Elba High School auditorium.

Feaured singers will be the Golden Kings, the Davis Brothers and Joy, and the Joy Singers. Admission is free.

Camp Victory To
Have Family Retreat

There will be a Family Retreat at Camp Victory at Samson, Sept. 22-23. Cost for the retreat is \$10 per adult and \$5 per family.

The retreat begins with supper on Friday and ends mid-afternoon on Saturday.

For information and to register, call Camp Victory at 205/898-7948.

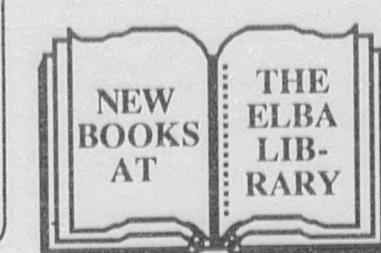
Pleasant Ridge
Primitive Baptist To
Have Homecoming

Homecoming will be held Sunday, September 24, 1989 at the Pleasant Ridge Primitive Baptist Church (near Vienna).

Worship services will begin at 11:00 a.m. with Rev. J. B. (Jim) Bass as guest speaker, following with dinner on the ground, and singing in the afternoon.

Everyone with family members or loved ones buried in this cemetery are urged to attend.

PASTOR'S CORNER
REV. LARRY DOSTER
NEW HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH



LAMENTATIONS 3:22-23

"It is of the Lord's mercies that we are not consumed, because His compassions fail not. They are new every morning: great is the faithfulness of God." Who studies the Word of God is impressed with the fact that there are many attributes of God. These attributes of deity are essential, for without them God would cease to be God.

When we talk of divine attributes, we are referring to a quality or characteristic which God has.

There are many attributes of God - grace, love, mercy, holiness, omnipotence, righteousness, justice - but among the many personal perfections and excellencies of God is the attribute of faithfulness.

In a society that is filled with unfaithfulness, it is refreshing to meditate upon Him who is faithful at all times, under all circumstances and in all conditions.

The word "faithful" means reliable, dependable, trustworthy, firm in adherence to promises. It is a quality that is without which God could not be God. We humans do not possess this quality. But even though "we believe not yet" He abhides faithful: He cannot deny Himself" (II Tim. 2:13). The words "believe not" should be rendered "unfaithful."

We believe on Him to the saving of our souls, but since that time of salvation we have at times proved to be unbelieving believers. But no matter how untrue we have been, "He abhides faithful." He cannot deny His own nature to be faithful.

There are many areas of life God is faithful throughout the world. God we read of His faithfulness. But there can be no question that God is faithful to believers; just look up all the passages that show His promise of faithfulness.

God is faithful in His calling us (Col. 1:19).

What is the call of God? Essentially it is God's invitation to partake of the sum total of the blessings that come to the believers through the redeeming work of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Our salvation began with a promise. No man becomes a saint on his own initiative (1 Tim. 1:16). We did not make the first choice (Eph. 1:14). Inasmuch as God initiated the calling and the choosing, the responsibility of keeping what He called rests upon Him.

God is faithful in confirming us (1 Cor. 1:6,8).

The God who called us is He who will call us home. The God who is faithful guarantees the guarantee that all who are in Christ Jesus will be blameless when Christ returns. Our guarantee is grounded on God's faithfulness (Col. 3:4). Notice that Christ not merely brings and gives life, but He is life. (Col. 3:4) He is the Father and the Son who elected to continue His work (Phil. 1:6).

Paul's confidence had a good foundation - the work of grace that

God Himself had begun.

The God who initiated and inaugurated this good work of salvation will surely put His own finishing touches to it. He will never neglect the work He has begun (1 Thes. 5:24).

Our glorification is the final step that began with God's calling. Our calling and glorification - and anything in between - are indissolubly tied together (Rom. 8:30). The same number of people He called are the ones He justified, and that same number are the ones He also glorified.

When you need someone faithful, turn to the one who is always faithful.

NEWS FROM OUR EARLY FILES

TEN YEARS AGO

SEPTEMBER 27, 1989

***Miss Betsy Branson is homecoming queen at Elba High School. Committee includes Wanda Walker, Rita Cook, Molly Walker, Melissa Martin, Lynn, and Mrs. William Arlan Brown announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jana Marie, to Edwin Boyd Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Everett Kelley of Elba. The wedding will be on Dec. 8 at the First Methodist Church.

***A luncheon was held recently at Mel's Restaurant in Daleville in honor of Ms. Carrie S. Jacobs upon her retirement from the Army Aviation Board at Ft. Rucker.

***Fishermen displaying their recent catches include Dale Stinson, David Sudley and Greg Hudson, and also Mr. Carlton Larkins.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

SEPTEMBER 18, 1969

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